

Response to comments from Ruth C. Mannebach
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The CALM Guidance Document included Cleanup Levels for Surfaces and Building Interiors (CALM, Appendix B, Section 7), which addressed asbestos abatement, lead abatement, and PCB-contaminated structures. It is my understanding the MRBCA guidance will replace CALM. Will cleanup levels for surface and building interiors be addressed in the final MRBCA document? Thank you.

Response: Thank you for bringing this issue to our attention. MRBCA will replace CALM. Information on surfaces and building interiors has proved valuable in the past. Therefore, we are reviewing and updating this information for inclusion into the guidance as an appendix. We will provide the Workgroup members with a draft copy of the updated version for their review and comments before it is adopted as final.